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REVENUE DEPARTMENT

(Excise-II)

EXCISE POLICY 2017-2019 (i.e., FROM 01-10-2017 TO 30-09-2019 FOR DISPOSAL OF RETAIL LIQUOR OUTLETS (A4 SHOPS) IN THE STATE.

[G.O.Ms.No. 200, Revenue (Excise-II), 12th September, 2017.]

PROHIBITION & EXCISE POLICY FOR 2017-2019 FOR DISPOSAL OF
RETAIL LIQUOR OUTLETS (A4 SHOPS)

The Government, after careful examination of the policy and suggestions received from various stakeholders hereby formulate the Excise Policy in relation to Retail Liquor Shops for the Excise Year 2017-2019.

1. Period: The grant of license of selling liquor by shop may be granted through drawal of Lots, on the basis of fixed shop Excise Tax, based on population, as per 2011 census, in the places viz., Municipal Corporation/Municipalities/Nagarpanchayat/Town or Village for the period 2017-19, i.e., for two years from 01-10-2017 to 30-09-2019.
2. Number: The number of Retail Shops shall be retained at the present level of (2216).
3. Re-allocation: The un-disposed (72) shops for 2015-17, may be re-allocated to other places as per local requirement.
4. Non Refundable Registration charge, shall be Rs.1.00 Lakh per Registration.
5. Retail Shop Excise Tax : Retail Shop Excise Tax for different population slab, shall be as follows:-

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| Sl.No. | Population Slab | Annual Retail Shop Excise Tax (Rs. in Lakhs) |
|--------|-----------------------|--|
| 1 | Up to 50,000 | 45.00 |
| 2 | 50,001 to 5,00,000 | 55.00 |
| 3 | 5,00,001 to 20,00,000 | 85.00 |
| 4 | Above 20,00,000 | 110.00 |

6. The Telangana State Beverages Corporation Limited/Agency outlets will be established in places where shops remain un-disposed.
7. All the Retail Shops in the State shall be equipped with the required machinery for reading Holographic Excise Adhesive Labels (HEAL).
8. All the Retail Shops shall install at least two C.C.TV. Cameras on the licensed premises, with linkage facility to Excise Control Room/s of Prohibition & Excise Department, as prescribed by the Department from time to time.
9. The provisions contained in Telangana Excise (Grant of Licence of Selling by Shop and Conditions of Licence) Rules 2012, as amended from time to time shall govern the process of allotment and consequent operation of the A4 shops by the licensees.
10. Campaigning shall be taken up to educate the public about the ill effects of drinking.
11. Steps shall be taken for de-addiction of alcohol addicts.
12. In respect of location of liquor sale points on the National and State Highways, the guidelines given by the Hon'ble Supreme Court of India in C.A.No. 12164-12166 of 2016, dt : 15-12-2016 and subsequent order dated : 31-03-2017 and clarifications issued in SLP (Civil) No. 10243 of 2017, dt : 11-07-2017 shall be strictly adhered to.

SOMESH KUMAR,
Principal Secretary to Government.

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